

city shall have power to issue a sufficient amount of corporate bonds of said city, bearing not to exceed five per cent. interest per annum, and payable in twenty years from their issue, to refund to the city treasury the money drawn therefrom for the payment of the bonds herein first mentioned. And the common council of said city may at any time, after having by payment reduced the amount of said bonds outstanding, issued under said chapter 42, of the private and local laws of 1871, to a sum not exceeding forty thousand dollars, issue corporate bonds of said city, bearing not to exceed five per cent. interest per annum and payable in twenty years from their issue, for the purpose of paying or redeeming the remainder of such outstanding bonds.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 19, 1891.

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CHAPTER 55.

AN ACT to permit the building of a wagon bridge across Sheboygan river, in the county of Sheboygan.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Val. Detling, Frank J. Detling, James Mallman, and P. H. Peacock, their legal representatives and assigns, are hereby authorized and empowered to build, construct and maintain a free bridge over and across Sheboygan river, on section number twenty-seven, township fifteen north, of range twenty three east, at or near the foot of either New Jersey or Maryland street, in the city of Sheboygan, county of Sheboygan, and state of Wisconsin; and for such purpose may erect piers, drive piles, build embankments and approaches in said river, and on the banks thereof, suitable and necessary for the proper construc-

Persons named may build and erect piers, etc.

tion and maintenance of said bridge, and the enjoyment of the rights hereby granted or intended to be granted.

SECTION 2. The right is hereby reserved to the state to alter, amend or repeal any or all the provisions of this act.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication. Approved March 20, 1891.

No. 173, A.]

[Published March 21, 1891.]

CHAPTER 56.

AN ACT to amend section 4,567, chapter 185, of the revised statutes, relating to the killing of insect-devouring birds.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

Amends sec.
4567, R. S. 1878.

Sparrows may
be killed.

SECTION 1. Section 4567 of the revised statutes of the state of Wisconsin for the year 1878, is hereby amended by striking out the word "sparrow" in said section, so that said section, when so amended, shall read as follows: Any person who shall wantonly maim, kill or destroy, by any means whatever, any brown thrush, blue bird, martin, swallow, wren, cat bird, pewit, meadow lark or other insect-devouring bird of any kind or name whatever, or destroy the nests or eggs of any such bird, shall be punished by fine not exceeding fifteen dollars nor less than one dollar.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication. Approved March 20, 1891.